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(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
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Application No.: 09/334,256

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Art Unit: 2155

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
PLANNING AND MONITORING  
MULTIPLE TASKS BASED ON USER  
DEFINED CRITERIA AND PREDICTIVE  
ABILITY

Examiner: Forest Thompson, Jr.

**INQUIRY RE STATUS OF APPEAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants have received a copy of an Order Returning Undocketed Appeal to Examiner dated June 24, 2003 and which instructs the Examiner to address an apparent ambiguity in the PTO file as to the status of the Amendment filed on December 8, 2000 (Paper No. 6).

If it would be helpful to the Examiner, according to Applicants' records, it appears that neither of the Amendments filed on December 8, 2000 (Paper No. 6, "Amendment A") and on March 2, 2001 (Paper No. 9, "Amendment B") were entered, but that the Amendment filed on August 9, 2001 (Paper No. 10, "Amendment C") was entered.

Thus, the deletion of claims 5-6 and the addition of claims 11-23 noted in item 2 (on page 2) of the Office Action dated October 22, 2001 were presented in the

Amendment filed August 9, 2001, and are not attributable to the Amendment filed on December 8, 2000.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that the attorney named below be advised of when the corrective action requested by the Board is expected to be taken and the application re-sent to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

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Respectfully submitted,

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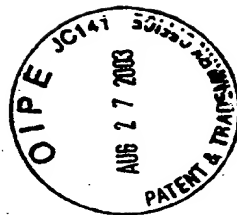
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